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GERMAN RETREAT HAS LESSENED

Preparing for Determined Stand Against Allies Near the Border.

GUNS PROTECT REAR.

Belgians Still Active—Believed in Ostend That Kaiser Will Be Forced to Evacuate Brussels.

London, Sept. 15—The correspondent of the Central News at Dieppe, under date of Monday, September 14 transmits a report that the German army under Gen. von Kluck had been forced to surrender.

The correspondent says:

"A report has reached Dieppe that the extreme left of the allies, after making an encircling movement by way of Roye and Ham and joining a force from the Boulogne district has compelled Gen von Kluck to surrender with, according to one statement, 14,000 men and according to another statement with 25,000 men, and a quantity of guns and war material."

Paris, Sept. 15—The retreat of the German army has perceptibly lessened.

Collecting their scattered forces from the northwest the invaders have strengthened their forces and are preparing for a determined stand against the allies on a line fifteen to twenty miles from the border. Heavy artillery is protecting the German rear, and causing great losses to the allies as they advance.

Flushed with their victories of the past six days, the French and British troops are pressing the German columns at every point, in many cases losing considerable numbers in their headlong onslaughts. Everything points now to a decisive battle in the very region from which the invaders drove the defenders of Paris only a week ago.

The Germans have made their stand on a semi-circular line that takes in St. Quentin, Guise and Vervins on their right, and then swings rapidly southward toward Rethel and the Aines river lines to St. Menehould. The last named position was yesterday abandoned by the army under Crown Prince Frederick William. On the result of the battle at this stand, depends in a large measure the future of the German army in France. If the allies are able to rout the Kaiser's men from their present position, it is practically assured that the fight will quickly be carried into German territory.

If the invaders can get their lines to hold they will have time to strengthen the weak spots in their lines, give their men a slight rest, and resume the offensive. This is what the Franco-British forces are attempting to prevent, but all accounts today showed conclusively that the German retreat had been checked, and that the pursuers were encountering a resistance that compelled respect.

The spirit of the French troops continues high, and they attack the heavily intrenched positions with a costly disregard for danger.

It is unofficially announced that a large force of re-enforcements was being rushed to the front to hurl against the invaders in what may be the crucial battle of the campaign.

Antwerp, Sept. 15—The Belgian forces made another raid on the German lines of communication yesterday, and are fighting along a line extending from north of Louvain to the neighborhood of Malines.

It is not believed to be the intention of the Belgians to make any determined stand, but merely to inflict as much damage as possible on the Germans and then retreat again to the cover of the outer Antwerp defenses.

The dykes along the Scheldt river have all been cut, and the lowlands are flooded in anticipation of another attempt on the part of the Germans to try to cut Antwerp's communications with the sea.

King Albert in person is again leading the offensive operations, despite the protest of the general staff that he should not expose himself to danger.

Ostend, Sept. 15—The German division which has been holding Alost has evacuated the city in order to proceed to the aid of the main German army, which is now being pressed by the Belgians. It is believed here the Germans will be compelled to evacuate Brussels in the very near future. Already the troops that had been posted in the vicinity of the Belgian capital have left, and there remains only a comparatively small body.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Charles N. Felton, former United States Senator from California, died Sunday at his home in Menlo Park. He was 83 years old.

An official report from Berlin states that a British submarine on Sunday sank the German cruiser, Hela. A majority of the crew was rescued, according to the Berlin report.

The steamer Atlantic City, which went ashore off Atlantic City Sunday was floated at high tide yesterday. All of the passengers were taken off by life guards.

More than 200 men, women and children were massacred by Mussel man insurgents when they captured the Albanian town of Zaerani, according to a dispatch from Avalona. The victims were all Christians. The town is said to have been burned.

Secretary of War Garrison yesterday denied that work on the fortifications in the Canal Zone is being rushed. Equipment is being shipped as fast as possible, he said, but no more expeditiously than had been originally planned. The twelve mortars on the Pacific side and six on the Atlantic have been completed. Four sixteen inch guns have been placed and range finding equipment is in transit.

A report which apparently originated in responsible quarters was ciculated in Wall street yesterday to the effect that important efforts were being made in behalf of Germany for the flotation of a war loan of $50,000,000 in the United States. Names of the emissaries of the German emperor who were negotiating the loan and names of those bankers who would help in the flotation of such a loan were freely mentioned.

"Panic prevails in Vienna," says a letter received in Bucharest from Vienna by an attache of the Roumanian foreign office. It continues: "Rumors have reached the people that the Austro-Hungarian troops have been defeated by the Russians and Servians and that the foe is marching on the capital from two directions. A third levy of reservists is being sent to Galicia. The unemployed are parading the streets and disorder is frequent. It is said that Semlin has been captured."

Vast spoils of war have fallen into the hands of the allies during the retreat of the Germans and every day sees this colossal store increased. During the past week the French and English have taken enough guns, ammunition, rifles, bayonets, and other war supplies to equip an army. Mighty numbers of German prisoners are being taken, the most of them Uhlans and Prussian infantrymen, the flower of the German army. Thousands of square miles of French territory have been devastated and desolated by battle and troops just through the valleys of the Marne, Oise, Ourcq, Grand Morin, Petit Morin, and Aisne rivers.

Mrs. Edward Walker is visiting relatives and friends in Marshall, Fauquier county, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sunderlin have returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Stafford county, Va.

Miss M. Devitt's piano studio opens September 15th. Teacher in graded course mechanism and velocity.

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CZAR PROPOSES TO ENTER BERLIN

Intended Invasion of Hungary Believed to Have Been Abandoned.

IS AVERSE TO KAISER.

Nicholas Determined to Capture German Capital and to Ride at Head of His Troops into the City.

London, Sept. 15, 12:15 p. m.—A reasonable estimate, says a Times Petrograd dispatch, places the Austrian losses in Galicia at 300,000 in killed, wounded and prisoners, or nearly one third of their forces.

They have also lost, the dispatch says, 1,000 guns, more than two-thirds of their available artillery.

A dispatch to the Central News from Rome says that a telegram from Petrograd states that the Austrian crown prince, Archduke Charles Francis, is with the Austrian army, whose capitulation is regarded as imminent.

From the same source comes the statement that the seventeen day battle of the Russians against the Austro-German forces ended with the following result: Prisoners taken, 180,000, field guns captured, 450; fortress artillery captured, 1,000 pieces, transpor wagons takn, 4,000, aeroplanes captured, 7.

The Russian embassy in Rome, according to the correspondent of the Central News, says that the German army, commanded by Gen. von Hindenburg has been defeated near Mlawa, Russian Poland, and that the Austrians are evacuating Poland with a loss of 50,000 men.

Petrograd, Sept. 15—That the proposed invasion of Hungary by a strong Russian body has been abandoned was intimated here today. It is realized by the Russian general staff that the German resistance will be very strong and it has been definitely decided that the entire Russian field army, first and second line troops, will be retained for the capture of Berlin.

The Czar is determined that Berlin shall be taken if it costs the Russian empire its entire fighting strength. His former friendship for the Kaiser has been replaced by an enmity which court officials say is the most bitter the Czar has ever indicated against anyone. He is determined that his forces will take Berlin and that he will ride in the city at the head of his troops.

Because of this it is officially stated that there will be no side trips. The crown land of Bukowina was taken, and the passes through the Carpathians have been held purely as defensive measures. The Russian intend to utilize part of Austria for the passage of their troops toward Berlin, but it is unlikely that any real attempt will be made to invade Hungary proper. The Servian troops may do so and will be aided by the Russians in every way, but the main Russian columns, after the Austrian army is completely disposed of, will be sent directly across Germany, if possible.

There is a growing feeling that Austria will soon admit her inability to further continue the war. The fact that her main army has been crushed and its capture is considered a strong possibility, means she will soon be no longer an active factor in the war.

KILLS WOMAN AND FLEES.

Negro Slashes Woman Who Proved Faithless.

Mount Holy, N. J., Sept. 15.—Cutting her throat from ear to ear with a razor and leaving her along the road to die, George Johnson, colored, killed Laura —Smith, also colored, a short distance from Campbell Soup Companys farm, near Riverton, last night. Johnson attacked the woman on the road for some unknown cause, whipped out his razor and cut the gash from which she quickly bled to death.

TRAP SET FOR GERMAN ARMY.

Forced Retreat Reveals Allies' Strategy Leave Spoils Behind.

London Sept. 15—A Times correspondent who wires from five miles south of Provina in the Department of Seine-at-Marne, says:

"I have traveled to this point practically along the whole line of the Allied army, though, of course always in the rear. General Von Kluck's host in coming down over the Marne and the Grand Morin Rivers to Sezanne, 25 miles southwest of Enernay, met little opposition, and I believe little opposition was intended.

"The Allies, in fact, led their opponents straight into a trap. The English cavalry led the tired Germans mile after mile and the Germans believed the Englishmen were running away. When the tremendous advance reached Provina the Allies' plan was accomplished and it got no further.

"The attempt of the Germans to cross the Marne at Meaux entailed terrible losses. Sixteen attempts were foiled by the French artillery fire directed on the river, and in one trench 600 dead Germans were counted.

"The whole country was strewn with the dead and dying. When at last the Germans retired they greatly slackened their rifle fire and in one place retired 12 miles without firing a single shot. One prisoner declared that they were short of ammunition and had been told to spare it as much as possible.

"On Monday night General Von Kluck's army had been thrown back from the Marne and from the Morin and to the Region of Sezanne, and his position was serious. Immediate steps were necessary to save his line of communications and retreat. To this end reinforcements were hurried north to Meaux district and to Ourcq, and tremendous efforts made to break up the French resistance in this quarter, for Meaux is to Paris as Reading is to London.

"The wounded men were no longer down-hearted, but eager to rejoin the fray. On every French lip was the exclamation that 'they are in full retreat' and they are rushing back home,' and in the same breath came generous recognition of the great help given by the British army.

"I am convinced that the full extent of this rout is not yet appreciated in England. It was of a truly terrific character and such a blow will not fail to have a lasting effect.

"The number of wounded entailed collosal transportation work. I myself counted 15 trains in eight hours a fine grim set of men, terribly weary, but very amiable, except the officers.

"The enemy crossed the Marne on the return journey north under great difficulties, and beneath a withering fire from the British troops, who pursued them hotly. The German artillery operated from a height. There was again much hand-to-hand fighting and the river was swollen with dead.

"On Tuesday night the British were in possession of La Fere Sous Jouarre and Chateau Thierry, and the Germans had fallen back 40 miles leaving a long train of spoils behind them."

CONDITIONS IN GERMANY.

Berlin Deserted by Able-Bodied Men —Only Cripples And Boys Left.

As a result of Germany's rigid compulsory military service laws there is not an able-bodied man in the city of Berlin, according to tourists arriving from the German capital. The mobilization orders of the Kaiser called out every male in Berlin except those too old, cripples and boys. These now are doing police duty and guarding roads and bridges. At all the approaches to the city and around the bridges and public buildings boys of 12 and 14 years of age may be seen, wearing uniforms and standing guard with fixed bayonets.

Since the war began much has been heard of Germanys military regulations and much misinformation has been disseminated. Military service in Germany is compulsory. Liability begins at the age of 17 and ends at the age of 45, but actual service begins at 20.

Fresh Oysters Daily at the Hotel Rammel.

FRISCO TRAIN IS DERAILED

Two Score Persons Missing in Frightful Crash Today.

TRAIN OF STEEL CARS.

Rolls Down Embankment Into Creek —Victims Said to Have Been Crushed Under Cars.

St. Louis, Sept 15—A Frisco passenger train bound from St. Louis to Texas points, was derailed near Lebanon, Mo., early today. All wires from Lebanon to St. Louis are down as a result of the wreck, and only indirect reports, by way of Springfield, have so far been received.

These reports state that at least two score persons are missing, and were probably killed in the wreck, but officials here have been unable to get any confirmation.

The train, composed of all-steel cars, is said to have rolled down the embankment into a creek.

Those reported dead are said to have been crushed beneath the cars or drowned.

CURTIS ELECTED.

Cities Give Maine Governorship to Democrat—Only 17,147 Moose Ballots Cast.

Portland, Me., Sept. 15.—In one of the closest elections the State has ever known the Democrats yesterday elected Oakley C. Davis governor. The several thousands of voters who supported Roosevelt in the 1912 election flocked to the polls yesterday to back the Republican ticket, but their number was not enough to down the Democrats.

FIGHTING CONTINUES.

War Office Reports Russian Forces Driven Back in East Prussia.

Berlin, via The Hague, Sept 15—The only statement dealing with the general war situation in the west obtainable at the war office today declared that the general fighting still continued with no decisive result.

The efforts of the French to break through the German lines and isolate some of the armies have failed, it is announced. No details of the general fighting at any point are obtainable.

It is announced that in east Prussia the German advance continues, and that the Russians have now been driven back at points across their main frontier. The German forces have taken many prisoners and numberous cannons.

The additional lists of casualties as published contain no new names of high officers killed.

Assails Kaiser for War.

London, Sept. 15—The German Humanity League has sent to the British Humanity League the following fiery denunciation of Kaiser Wilhelm's War:

"We cannot at the hour refrain from sending a message of fraternal greeting to you who have foreseen and prepared for the carnage which must precede the inevitable overthrow of a military despotism too long tolerated by millions of toilers crushed by its infernal weight.

"Nakedly revealing himself, we see the uncurbed tyrant surrounded by his parasites, now directing the most desperately devilish and selfish campaign ever waged against humanity. We know that the internal revolution now preceding in our midst will depose the despot, whose insatiable egotism is drenching Europe with the blood of its workers and wage earners. This letter reaches you by the hand of a trusted Dutch comrade who is risking his life in the people's cause."

LOCAL BREVITIES

An important meeting of the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum will be held in their hall on Duke street tonight. All members are requested to attend.

After the summer recess Martha Washington Chapter, No. 42, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold a meeting in Masonic Temple tonight.

The Alexandria Motor Boat Club will hold their regular meeting at the Club House tonight at which time very important business will come before the club. A full attendance is expected.

The Chamber of Commrece held a meeting last night which was largely attended. A number of routine matters and reports of committees were considered.

WHY A FORD—Because they are the silent running, clean looking machines carrying the contented drivers.

An employee at the Potomac Railroad yards reported to the police today that he had been robbed of $200. He gave the officers a description of the alleged thief and they are searching for him.

Gloom Over Germans.

Rotterdam, Sept 15—Advice received here from Berlin indicate that there is deep gloom everywhere throughout Germany. The government is making public only some of the losses, and the newspapers are carrying only a small percentage of even the official lists.

There is declared to be grave discontent because the government has failed to make any provision for the unemployed. Business generally is at a standstill and the leading Socialist newspapers are complaining because the government is employing prisoners on road work instead of hiring German unemployed.

One of the reports received from interior Germany say that already there are whispers of an uprising by the socialists, who feel that the country has been deceived by the Kaiser. These reports, however, are extremly vague and impossible of ed.

QUICKLY FOUND GUILTY

Young Woman Tells of Attacks on Them by Prisoner in Guise of Plumber.

Philadelphia, Sept. 15—Failing in his effort to prove an alibi James Baker was yesterday convicted on charges of subjecting three young West Philadelphia women to gross indignities. The prisoner was found guilty on 14 bills of indictment carrying penalties that would keep him behind the bars for the remainder of his life, should Judge Carr impose the extreme sentence on each indictment. The Court however deferred sentence, a motion for a new trial being made on behalf of Baker, and the defendant released under $5,000 bail until the motion is disposed of.

Baker, according to Mrs. Helen Harney, a 17-year old bride, of No. 912 Conestoga street, compelled her to disrobe, while Miss Ella Swanson, of Reading, who was visiting relatives at No. 4530 Pine street, last July, also testified that she suffered harsh treatment at the hands of the defendant. Miss Sarah Turner, of No. 4023 Powelton avenue, also identified Baker as the man who threatened hr. The three young women, all of whom are about the same age, were positive in their identification of Baker as the man who obtained entrance to their homes under the pretence that he was a plumber commissioned to do repair work.

"Pointing a revolver at me," said Mrs. Harney, "he made me tell where $17 was hidden, and then with my hands partly tied with a rope he drove me to the bathroom where he made me take off my clothes. As I handed them to him he threw them down into the cellar, because, he said, he wanted to be sure that I wouldn't follow him.

DEATH NOTICE

DIED—On Monday, September 14th, THOMAS BOYD LEADBEATER, son of Janet Gregory and the late Thomas Leadbeater. Funeral from the residence, 329 north Washington street, Wednesday, September 16th, at 4 o'clock P. M. Funeral private.

STUART CONDEMNS USE OF HIS NAME

Disavows Circular Purporting to Give His Views on Prohibition.

STAND IS UNCHANGED.

Governor's Preference for Local Option Over Statewide Well Known From the Beginning.

Richmonds, Sept 15—Incensed at the unauthorized publication of a circular purporting to set forth his position on the question of State-wide prohibition, Governor Stuart gave out a statement last night in which he reterates his stand for local option and against state-wide prohibition in the election of September 22, "My position is unchanged and is just as it has always been," he said.

The statement issued is the Governor's first direct announcement to the press relative to the prohibition question. About two weeks ago he authorized Private Secretary Forward to reply to a press telegram asking how he would vote. Governor Stuart has avoided all controversy, and has made no effort to use the influence of his position for or against prohibition. In talking with friends, however, he has made no secret from the beginning of the campaign of his determination tf wote for local option and against State-wide prohibition.

After having been shown a circular which bore his picture and an alleged statement of his position the Governor gave out the following authorized statement:

"This circular is wholly unauthorized and its distrbution is without my knowledge or consent. The only authorized public statement which has ever appeared as to my attitude on this question was that given to the Lynchburg Advance, a paper advocating the prohibition cause, and was in reply to my secretary, accompanied by an urgent service message, calling for an immediate reply for publication in the afternoon issue of that paper. This telegram required an answer, yes or no, or an evasion; I preferred to answer, and authorized my secretary, to whom the telegram was sent, to answer and state my position, and to emphasize that I did not wish to be dragged into any discussion of the question of prohibition in the newspapers or eleswhere.

"My position on this question has been quite widely known throughout the State ever since prohibition has been a live issue, and it has been particularly well known from the beginning by some of the officers and other prominent members of the Anti-Saloon League of Virginia. I have made no effort to conceal my personal views in favor of local option, but I have made earnest and constant efforts to prevent the influence of the high office I hold being made a factor in this campaign. It is, of course, out of my power to prevent the use of my photograph in this or any other campaign, but it is my privilege to disavow and condemn such use.

"My position is unchanged and is just as it has always been. I make this statement to clearly define that position, and to demonstrate my consistency."

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings In Society.

Richmond Assembly gave the dance of the season last night inaugurating the new Richmond Hall in the Richmond Theatre. There was a good crowd present and the dance was very enjoyable. The Assembly will give another dance on Thursday night.

Miss Sarah E. Shotts, one of Alexandria's most popular nurses is visiting relatives at Harrisonburg, Va., and Martinsburg, W. Va.

Mr. John A. Marshall and wife, of Harrisburg, Pa., are visiting Mrs. Charles B. Marshall, at "Good View," on the Potomac, south of this city. Mr. Marshall is the democratic nominee for the Legislature from Harrisburg.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Wallis have returned from Atlantic City.

GERMANY SHORT OF FODDER.

Forced to Slaughter Alarming Number of Young Animals, is Report.

The Hague, Sept 15—Can Germany be starved out? The question has been asked a thousand times if the chancellories of England, France, and Russia knew the answer, one of the biggest problems of the military strategists would be solved. Opinions on this moot point differ.

It is true that Germany has been dependent to a large extent on overseafood supplies, but the recent asertion of a writer on economic subjects that one-third of Germany's foodstuff is imported is called a gross exaggeration. Germany does import something over 5 per cent. of her meat. She also requires wheat from abroad. Her imports of grain are much larger in times of peace. However, her heavy exports of rye to Russia have ceased. This grain remains in Germany.

One awkward question is that of fodder. The vast amount of fodder that Germany needs and uses in times of peace comes from Russia. The supply from the Czar's domains stopped before the German straw crop was available. This means that a large proportion of the young cattle must be slaughtered out of hand—an alarming proportion, in fact, according to some.

KILLED BY UNKNOWN CAR

Woman on Way to Church Run Down on White Horse Pike.

Philadelphia, Sept. 15—Injuries sustained in being run down by an automobile belonging to a man being sought by Prosecutor Ktaft, of Camden, Emma Denelsbeck, 40 years old, died at the home of her father, Edward Durand, at Overbrook, last night.

The woman was on her way to church, Sunday night, when she was struck by the machine on the White Horse turnpike, and hurled some distance. The automobilist kept on and had not been located up to last night. Other automobilists coming in an opposite direction found Mrs. Denelsbeck unconscious in the road and she was taken to her home, where Dr. Frank B. Cook found that she had been injured internally.

WAR SPIRIT IN ITALY

Rome, Sept. 14 via Paris, Sept. 15, 7:30 a. m.—A demonstration occured in the center of the town tonight, the people at the meeting crying out in favor of England and France. The troops charged the demonstrators several times, and a number of persons were injured. Troops have been detailed to guard the Austrian embassy.

ELECTION ONE WEEK OFF

Prohibitionists Will Close Campaign Next Sunday Afternoon When Hobson Will Speak.

The issue, whether local option shall prevail in Virginia, or the sale of liquor shall be eliminated from the Old Dominion, will be settled at an election to be held next Tuesday—one week hence.

While the public campaign has been carried on almost exclusively by those who are working for statewide prohibition, the campaign has become exciting during the last days, and men and women are using all arguments at their command in attempts to induce voters to cast their ballots against the further legalized sale of stimulants in Virginia. While there have been some animating scenes and voices have reached a high pitch, the respective champions have parted in good humor. It is rumored, though we have failed to find it confirmed, that the local temperance organizations will furnish lunches—sandwiches and coffee at the polls on election day.

While woman suffrage is not in vogue in Virginia many members of the gentler sex will doubtless be seen in the neighborhood of the polls next Tuesday. The saloons will, as usual, be closed on that day. The blinds will be closed at six o'clock Monday evening and remain closed until six o'clock Wednesday morning.

There is every reason to believe the bulk of the vote will be brought out on the occasion. There are 1,638 registered voters in the city, and those in positions to know say they expect about 1,550 will be cast

The prohibitionists will wind up their campaign at the Opera House next Sunday afternoon, when Hon. R. P. Hobson, Congressman from Alabama, will speak.

STARTS NEW RESIDENCE.

Frederick M. Penn has purchased, through Graham & Ogden, real estate brokers, from J. K. T. Norton, and others, two building lots on north Washington street, between Oronoco and Pendleton streets. Ground was broken yesterday for the erection of a very handsome residence on the lots. There has been a great deal of activity in this section recently reported, and the erection of several new houses is contemplated in the northwest.

DRUGISTS MEET IN RICHMOND

There-Day Session in Pharmaceutical Opens Today

Richmond, Sept. 15—Druggists from every section of the State are arriving here to attend the thirty-third annual meeting of the Virginia Pharmaceutical Association, which began today.

The association is composed of a large majority of the retail druggists of the State, having a membership of more than 400. This will be the first session held in Richmond in several years. Wholsale and retail interests of the city are co-operating with the association committees in an effort to make the visit of the druggists a pleasant and enjoyable one.

In addition to the business sessions there will be a continual round of pleasure for the visitors beginning tonight with an informal reception at the Jefferson. On Wednesday night a theatre party will be given at the Grayce Scott Colonial Theatre, and on Thursday afternoon there will be a boat trip down the James River.

The druggists will be accompanied by their wives and families and for the latter there will be plenty of entertainment while the business sessions are being held, and they will also be present at the regular events. For the especial benefit of the women, a luncheon will be given at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning at the Country Club of Virginia. Special cars will leave the Jefferson Hotel, and will return from the club at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

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FIREMEN'S COMMITTEE

Will Have Charge of All Matters Between Organizations and the City.

The three volunteer fire companies of Alexandria have agreed to name a committee, representing the three organizations, which will have charge of all matters between the fire companies and the municipal government. At the present time the local fire department, so far as the city is concerned, is under the direction of a committee of the Board of Aldermen and the Common Council. This committee has had to deal with the fire companies as individuals and there has been no concerted action between the committee and the companies.

At a meeting of the three companies held last night it was decided to organize a committee to be known as "Good of the Fire Department Committee" for the purpose of taking up all grievances between the companies and the city governmnt and to make suggestions for the improvement of the service. This committee will be composed of five members from each company. There will be a sub-committee, composed of the three captains, A. D. Grimes, of the Reliance, E. J. McDermott, of the Columbia, and E. C. Wildt, of the Relief, who will act in an executive capacity.

DEATH OF BOYD LEADBEATER.

Well-Known Young Man Dies of Typhoid Fever.

The death of T. Boyd Leadbeater, at the Alexandria Hospital, at six o'clock last night was the seventh death from typhoid fever in the last two months. Mr. Leadbeater has been critcally ill for the past three weeks. He was 19 years old and was curator of Christ Episcopal Church. He was a son of Mrs. Janet G. Leadbeater and the late Thomas Leadbeater. Besides his mother he is survived by a brother, William G. Leadbeater, of this city, and a sister, Mrs. James Gibson, of Norfolk, Va.

Funeral services will be held from the family residence 329 north Washington street, Wednesday at 4 p. m.

ELKS TO HAVE SMOKER.

Will Present Jewel to Past Exalted Ruler Bales.

Alexandria Lodge of Elks will give a smoker at its next meeting to be held on October 12th when the winter work of the organization will commence. At this meeting a handsome jewel will be presented to James W. Bales, past exalted ruler of the lodge At a meeting of the Elks held last night Leon Goodman, past exalted ruler of Lynchburg Lodge was endorsed for district deputy of Virginia.

DEATH OF AN ALEXANDRIAN.

George Germann, Well-Known Native of this City, Passes Away in Baltimore.

George Germann, who up to a year ago resided in Alexandria, died in Baltimore on Sunday. The deceased was about sixty-six years old. He was a son of the late Michael Germann, who for many years conducted a bakery on the south side of King street, near St. Asaph. He was for a long time in charge of the stationary engine at the shops of the Southern Railway in this city. He is survived by a widow and several children. His remains will be brought here for burial and his funeral will take place Thursday at 2 o'clock from Wheatley's undertaking establishment

Rev. Mr. Overmier, who for a long time had been pastor of a German Lutheran Church in St. Louis, died in that city yesterday. He was a brother-in-law of Mr. George Appich, of this city.

PROGRAM AT THE RICHMOND.

Five reels every show.

Show starts at 6:30 P. M.

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Extra Special feature to night.

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A scenic and thrilling war story. In which scores of soldiers and principals are shown in battle scenes.

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The new Basque and Redingote dresses are simple and distinctive in style

A Splendid showing in the new Silks at $16.95 Each.

Of the many fashions that present themselves at this seasons, perhaps none has found such favor as the Basque, and Redingote, which emphasizes the simplicity of the corsage, and skirts charmingly full and free. Modes of this character have been brought to a notably high point of perfection in the models that are showing.

We illustrate three new ones that have only recently arrived, and ask you to note their gracefulness of fashion

Beautiful Charmeuse Basque Dresses of the attractive style as sketched to the left. A modified development of the basque with peplum in back and new set-in sleeves; buttoning all the way down the front; the skirt in a tunic style. In white, navy blue, and black. All sizes up to 40.

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420 KING ST.

ACTIVITY IN HAMPTON ROADS.

Gathering of United States Men-of War And Torpedo Boats.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 15.—Hampton Roads yesterday took on a more warlike appearance than it has shown since the Atlantic fleet was rushed from its waters to Vera Cruz.

The battleships Texas, Minnesota, Rhode Island, Florida, Illinois, Missouri, and Prairie are at anchor. The torpedoboats Cummings and Jarvis ar expected to join the fleet.

The unusual activity of warships in these waters was followed by reports that they had sealed orders to proceed to sea, but these reports were denied by the Navy Department. The gathering of the ships at this time has no significance, naval officers say, other than the fact that they are to have delayed target practice and maneuvers off the Virginia capes in a few days.

Rear Admiral Fletcher is scheduled to take command of the fleet on September 17, and the transfer of his flag was to have taken place in Hampton Roads. The Wyoming, however, which will probably be the flag ship of his fleet, was ordered to New York for supplies before she reached the Virginia capes.

The Wyoming has just returned from Mexico, and the Texas on Saturday completed important experiments with her 14-inch guns, the largest carried by any warship in the world now in commission.

LOSE LIVES IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Rev. And Mrs Horace Jones Are Killed in Accident in Alabama.

Richmond, Sept. 15.—Mrs. Horace Jones, formerly Miss Hattie Harvie, who spent part of her girlhood days in Richmond, was killed in an automobile accident in Alabama Sunday and her husband, the Rev. Horace Jones, so badly injured that he died shortly afterward.

Mrs. Jones was a daughter of the late Colonel Edwin Harvie of Wash-

a granddaughter of the E. Harvie, of this city, rs ago was president d, Fredericksburg and

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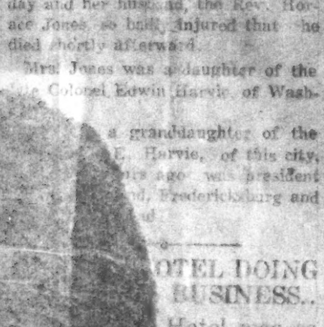
To endure the pains and tortures caused by a little thing like a corn is ridiculous, simply because it is unnecessary. The new plan corn cure



"GETS-IT" is the first one ever known to remove corns without pain, without pain and without trouble. This is why it is the biggest-selling corn cure in existence today. It is now used by millions, because it does away with sticky tape, with plasters and cotton rings that shift their position and press down onto the corn, with salves that "raw up" the toe, with "harnesses" that cause pressure and pain, with knives, razors and files, clawing and pulling at a corn.

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"GETS-IT" is sold by druggists everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence and Company, Chicago.

DAVIS OPPOSES STATE-WIDE

Prominent Farmer of Northern Virginia Is An "Anti."

Richmond, Sept 15—"I am persuaded that the cause of temperance will best be promoted by a perfected local option law administered in accordance with our Democratic doctrine of local self-government. This is the conclusion reached by Westmoreland Davis, of Leesburg, president of the Virginia Farmers' Institute, after a first-hand study of state-wide prohibition as it affects the rural districts of Maine. The farmers of Virginia have no better friend that Mr. Davis. For years he has waged their battles before the Virginia legislature. During the session of 1912 he was instrumental in securing the passage of the lime grinding act under which the state will shortly supply the farmers of Virginia with ground limestone for fertilizing purposes at a nominal cost. It was Mr. Davis who developed in large part the farm demonstration system which has been carried forward to a high state of efficiency. Year after year the Farmers' Institute has re-elected him to fill the highest office in its gift. In Mr. Davis the agricultural world recognizes at once a leader of fine discrimination and a man abreast of the best thought of the day.

Marshall McCormick, formerly in the Virginia Senate, and one of the foremost lawyers in the State, announces his position in the pending political campaign. He is against Statewide prohibition and for retention of the principle of local option. Mr. McCormick opposes the Statewide innovation for several reasons, one of which is that the counties nearly all enjoy prohibition under the local option laws, and another of which is that somebody will have to bear the burden of taxation imposed to make up for the revenue that the State will lose under Statewide.

It is announced at Anti-Saloon League headquarters that between 300 and 500 speakers are stumping for Statewide prohibition in Virginia this week. The speakers are nearly all ministers of the Methodist and Baptist churches. Many of them will make three speeches each day, and practically all of them at least two.

Eppa Hunton, Jr., who has been for years recognized as one of the ablest lawyers in Virginia, discussing the prohibition issue yesterday, declared himself an advocate and supporter of local option.

Mr. Hunon was a member of the convention of 1901-02 that framed the present Constitution of Virginia He is a member of the law firm of Munford, Hunton, Williams & Anderson. The moral phase of the situation which presents itself in this crisis, he argues, inclines him to oppose prohibition because he is convinced that it is impracticable. Mr. Hunton said he was led to this conclusion by his personal knowledge of conditions in some of the States where prohibition now obtains.

FOUND DEAD IN WOODS.

Mother And Young Daughter Strangled With Stocking.

Glenn Falls, N. Y., Sept. 15—Mrs. Charles Newlin, thirty-two years old, said to have been a member of a wealthy Philadelphia family, and her fiveyearold daughter were found dead yesterday in a strip of woods near Elizabethtown, where Mrs. Newlin had a summer home.

The child had been strangled with a stocking and the mother met death in the same manner.

WARNING TO THE PUBLIC.

First—Prohibition workers are warned to watch for bribery. The saloon will have paid workers at every precinct where they can be obtained and will buy every vote which can be bought.

Second—Beware of attacks and misrepresentations published during the last week of the campaign, too late for an answer to reach the voter of the State The late publication of such attacks should be sufficient proof to every fairminded man that they can be satisfactorily answered.

Headquarters Committee Anti-Saloon League of Virginia.
Richmond Va. Sept. 16, 1914

IN THE BUSINESS WORLD

Snappy Items of Interest for the Busy Man or Woman who Want to Keep Well Informed.

High class ammunition, all varieties, and loads at the most reasonable prices. W. E. Bain, corner of King and Royal Streets.

Three stores under the old Braddock House for rent at very reasonable rates. Apply R. S. Barrett, the Gazette office.

25 cents per day pays for three lines in this column. It will be read by 3,000 Alexandrians every day.

Attend to your house improvements before the cold weather sets in. Let us figure on your job. S. D. DeVaughan & Sons, general contractors, 209 south Royal street.

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To test the value of this advertisement we will print 1,000 good linen letterheads and 1,000 linen envelopes for $5.00 for a few days only. The Barrett Press, 112 South Fairfax

MRS HALL'S APPEAL.

Prosecution Believes it Will be Denied—Defense Hopeful.

Richmond, Sept. 15.—Commonwealth's Attorney W. C. Bibb, of Louisa county, who was in the city on Thursday, said that he did not believe that the appeal for a writ of error of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Hall, convicted on August 8 of the murder of her husband, Victor . Hall, would be granted, as such precautions had been taken by the court to safeguard the interest of the accused woman, and to give her every advantage which the law allows.

The two principal exceptions taken by the defense are to the action of Judge George S. Shackelford in permitting the introductions of evidence by the prosecution to connect Mrs. Hall with the second pantry fire in her home, which occurred ten or fifteen minutes after she and others of her family had left the store to go to the home of N. W. Hall, and to the courts refusal to permit introduction of evidence to show that the Commonwealth Attorney had said that he did not believe that Victor Hall's pistol had recently been fired when he examined it on the day of the murder. There are many minor exceptions, but the case of the defense hangs on these two.

Mrs. Hall is out under bail, which expires on September 30. It may be renewed then shoud the Supreme Court of Appeals not have rendered a decision by that time. Otherwise Mrs. Hall will be returned to jail pending final action on her plea. Mrs. Halls bond was fixed at $10,000.

Mrs. Hall is now at the home of Mrs. Martha Gordon, aunt of her attorney, in Louisa, with whom she stayed immediately before and during her trial. It is said that she is taking a lively interest in social affairs, and that she appears to be confident that she will finally be acquitted of the charge of murdering her husband.

March on Budapest.

Nish, Sept. 15.—The Servian army is marching on Budapest from Semlin, fresh with its victory over the Austrian forces there. It is announced that the fortifications at Sezania have been taken by the Servians.

Portions of the clothing of Stephen P. Wright, member of the Washington Real Estate Exchange, were found on the banks of the Potomac river a short distance below Great Falls yesterday afternoon, and his family believe he has committed suicide by drowning.

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NOTICE.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Commerce and Savings of Washington, D. C., will be held at the Alexandria office of the bank, 119 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., September 24, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m.
JOSEPH H. MILANS, Secretary
14-3t.

For a good many months I had trouble with my stomach and found it necessary to eat sparingly," writes Mrs. Bernice Wyandt, Lima, Ohio. "There was a dull and heavy feeling in my stomach after eating that was most uncomfortable. I was also annoyed by frequent headaches. After taking a number of medicines without benefit I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets and found they were just the thing. Two bottles of them rid me of this complaint." For sale by all dealers.

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Cure for Warts.

Lebanon, Del., Sept. 15.—Here is a new cure for warts, and while it is not expected to prove immensely popular among those so afflicted, one girl at least summoned up enough nerve to risk her life to rid herself of the unsightly pests.

Miss Nettie Cowbill of this borough tried the experiment with success, but nearly lost her life as a result. Miss Cowgill was recently advised by a friend, in a joking manner, that if she would stand under a poplar tree during an electrical storm, the warts would disappear.

Selecting an opportune moment, during a severe electrical storm, a few days ago, Miss Cowgill ventured into her yard. A bolt of lightning shattered a nearby tree, and she was felled unconscious. When she recovered she found the warts had vanished.

The Rammel Cafe, See ad, Front Page.

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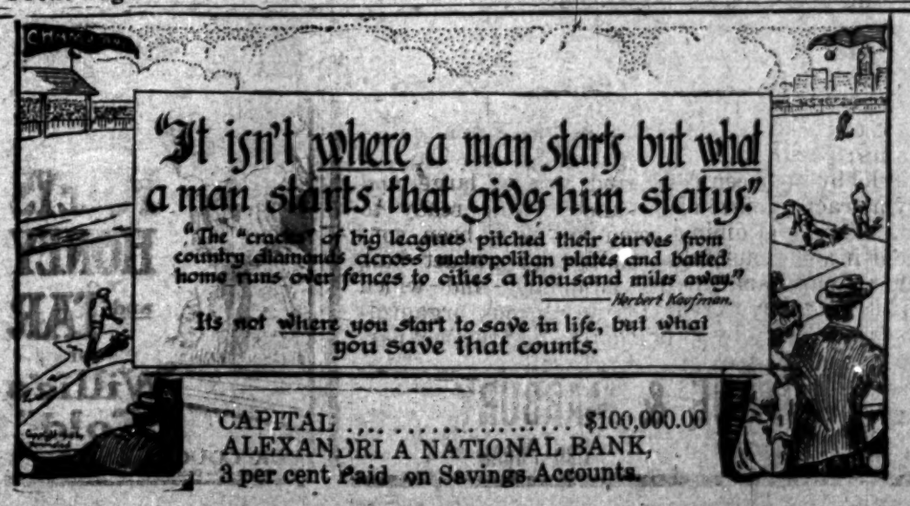
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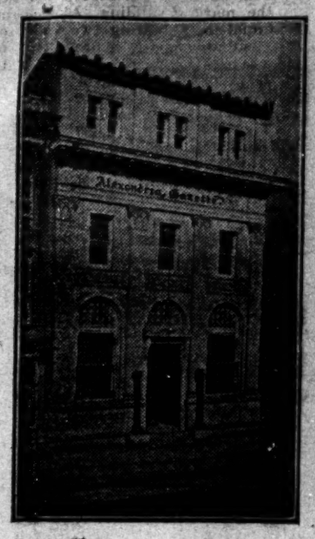

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"CIVILIZED WARFARE."

During the past two score years the world has heard much of what has been termed "civilized warfare." While our civil conflict was raging the sentiment of the nations was averse to the use of Greek fire and the Southern Confederacy "cut it out" of their ammunition. Bomb-dropping from aeroplanes is now deplored by certain people, but as the present conflict continues stories of inhuman treatment are startling the world. Reports are being circulated which appall every one of humane instincts. We were told when Belgium attempted to impede the progress of the Germans though their land that Belgian boys had their hands cut off by the invaders so as to render it impossible for them to use guns. The Germans have since been charged with hanging prisoners by their feet and cutting out their tongues. Apart from these tortures, it is asserted that the Kaiser's soldiers have been guilty of unmentionable mutilations upon both men and women. Some of their victims have blown out their own brains upon being liberated.

The writer of the Epistle to the Romans makes allusion to a cruel mode of torture which had been practiced sometime before his day. Live captives were strapped face to face with dead men, and we are told that in "loathsome embrace their gave up the ghost." War seems to be as fierce now as ever.

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GO SLOW ON FREIGHT TAX.

With the return of President Wilson to Washington some action may be expected shortly on the tax which is to make up for the loss of custom duties caused by the European war. As has been pointed out in the telegraphic dispatches there has been raised a great objection to the proposed tax of three per cent. on freight shipments and the bill as outlined in now uncertain of enactment. Frankly we hope that the tax on freight shipments will not be made.

To levy such a tax at this time with business depressed already by the European war would be to add to the burdens of business men more than they should be called on to bear. The Interstate Commerce Commission recently refused to allow the railroads to make a horizontal increase of 5 per cent. in freight rates, presumably basing its refusal upon the belief that the shippers already were being called on to pay all that could in reason be asked of them. This in spite of the fact that it is generally admitted that the railroads are in a bad way financially, as a rule, unable to make ends meet and keep up their equipment and maintain their roadbeds in proper condition. As a result of the general derangement of business due to the war, especially the disordered condition of the money market, the roads are utterly unable to finance enterprises at this time, and have appealed to President Wilson to help them as far as may be in securing permission from the Interstate Commission to put up freight rates. Mr. Wilson has let it be known that he is in sympathy with the proposition, although, of course, he could not undertake to influence the commission. There was reason to believe that the commission was inclined to view with favor the renewed application of the roads to be allowed to help themselves, but, of course, it will be impossible to grant such request if the Government is to be allowed to tax the shippers in the manner proposed.

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PLIGHT OF THE GERMANS.

The sudden turn in the tide of war has taken the world by surprise. What was the colossal army of Germany, footsore and weary, is now dodging the hosts of the Allies, and France is breathing easier as the invading cohorts of the Kaiser are endeavoring to escape annihilation. The heavy reinforcements which have arrived in Belgium have reanimated the little kingdom, and King Albert is to be reckoned with in the fearful war which has ravaged Europe during the past few weeks.

Belgium, looked upon as a puny nation at the outset, has proven to be a David in the path of the modern German giant, and the check given the most mighty military nation in the world has allowed the Allies time to prepare and eventually drive the invaders from France.

While there is every reason to believe that the fate of Austria is sealed and that sooner or later the proud house of the Hapsburghs will be compelled to sue for peace, a like fate may await the equally haughty Hohenzollerns.

The Germans started out like the Assyrians of old. Their cohorts gleamed with purple and gold, "and the assurance of the Kaiser that God was with him and that he could march into Paris aroused the greatest enthusiasm in his armies. But the best laid plans of men and mice are often brought to mind in the uncertainties of this life. Emperor William, to his great disappointment, found that he had stirred up hornets' nests in every quarter, and if hostilities are not brought to a termination in the near future he will be stung to death.

The wise man tells us the race is not always to the swift nor the battle to the strong.

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DEMOCRATS WIN IN MAINE ELECTION.

A few months ago certain republican papers made the groundless assertion that the policies of President Wison and the democratic Congress were causing great revulsion of opinion throughout the country, and at the next election the republicans would have a walkover. The election in Maine, a rock-ribbed republican state, yesterday showed the absurdity of this forecast, when Oakley C. Curtis was elected governor over his republican competitor. The victory is rendered more complete from the fact that the democratic candidate was an tagonized by the several thousand who voted for Theodore Roosevelt for President in 1912, the latter supporting the republican candidate.

The course of President Wilson, as has often been shown of late, is being approved by many who voted against him nearly two years ago, while democratic measures which have been enacted appeal to most people of th country.

The action of Maine yesterday will send a cold chill down the backs of those who have indulged the dream that a majority of congressmen to be elected in November will be republican.

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Twenty-one trains filled with captured war material have reached Paris. They included eleven cannon, seven autombile trucks loaded with ammunition, two others, large ones, filled with helmets, rifles, swords, and cartridge belts; four machine guns, with their commissary wagons and three aeroplanes, one of them a "taube," or German torpedo-shaped air machine, its wings picked by many projectiles. The overseer in charge of these trains estimated that within a week he had received 60 cannon and 30 machine guns, all captured from the Germans, as well as 40 trucks filled with ammunition.

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M. M. PARKER, PRESIDENT.
LOUIS BEYER, JR. Secretary

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Schedule in effect April 12, 1914.

For Washington and points north, daily at 8:08 A. M., 8.43, 8:53, 11:13, 12:01, 1:18, 2.30 through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:19. 8:18, 11:33 p. m., week days, at 6:07 p. m., Sundays only 8:07 p. m.

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7:47 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Danville delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C. & O., No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

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10:27 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg.) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

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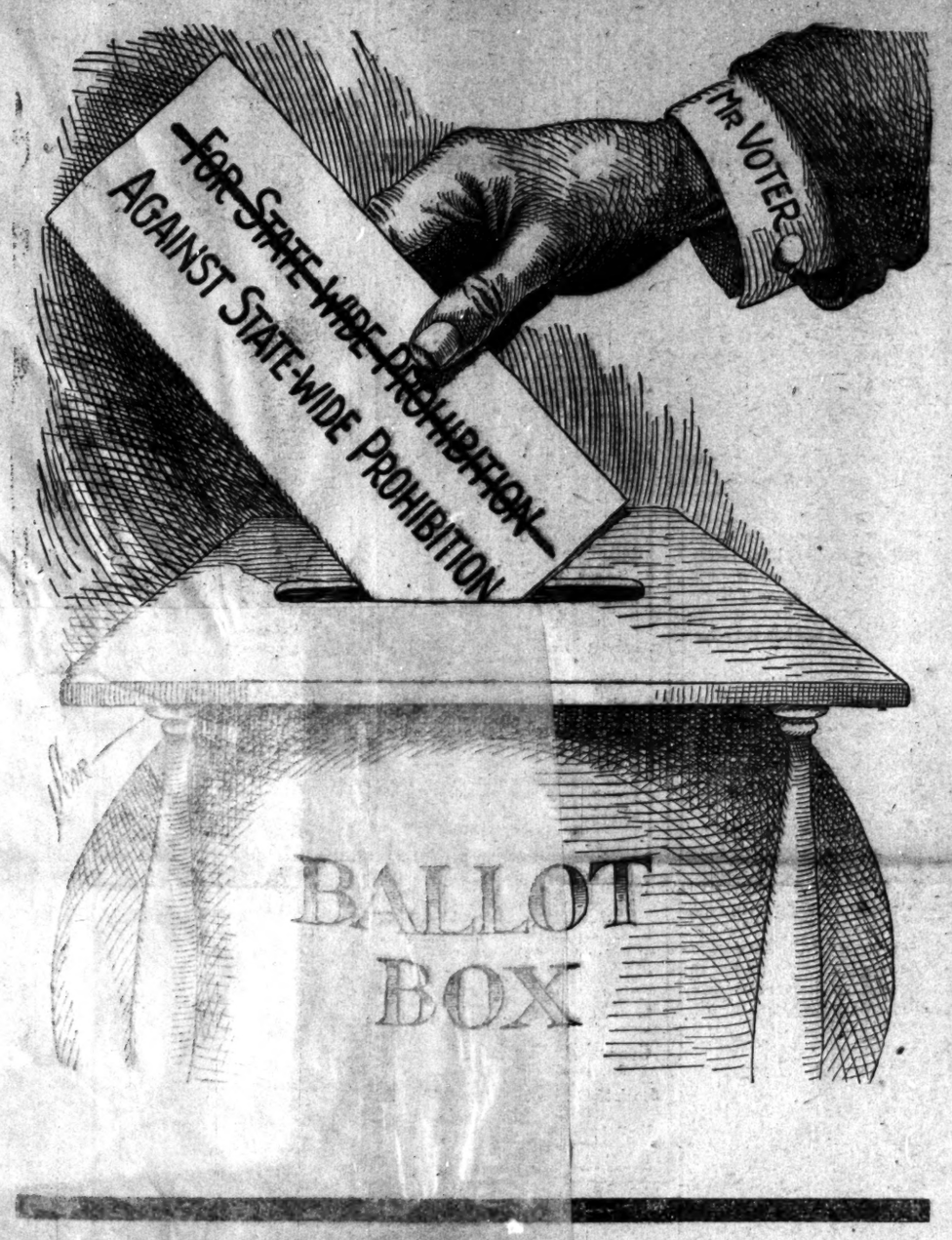

Germany Has Lost all Her Colonies.

If Germany has any territory left outside of the Continent of Europe after the war is over it will be because the British have overlooked it. British forces have already taken Togoland; they are attacking German Southwest Africa, they have seized the German Samoas, in the Pacific, and news has just come from Australia, that a British force has taken the chief city of New Pomerania, the largest island in the Bismarck archipelago. It will not be long before the world is informed that the German part of New Guinea has been attacked, and it will be surprising if the Caroline and Ladrone Islands do not surrender to a British warship. And Japan is laying siege to Kiaochow on the China coast.

The Kaiser's advisers, who did not expect the British to enter the war, will have much to explain to their chief before a peace treaty is signed. They have already been rebuked for the consequences of their contemptuous allusions to a scrap of paper. And the worst is yet to come.—Philadelphia Ledger.

HUNGER RIOTS IN VIENNA.

Thousands Who Swarm Into Capital Reported in Desperate Straits.

Vienna, via Rome, Sept. 15.—The authorities are adopting the sternest measures to suppress rioting by the unemployed. The problem of caring for the refugees is a desperate one. Thousands of refugees from Galicia have arrived here. They have added to the ranks of the out of works to such an extent that the officials are alarmed. They are diverting many of the men to work on the earthworks that are being constructed to defend the city. The police have been ordered to prevent street parades of the unemployed. Several mass meetings have been held, at which violent speeches were made. Depots are to be opened in the market places where food will be furnished to those applying.

HAMBURG IN DISTRESS.

Alarming Lack of Food And Supplies is Reported.

Rome, Sept. 15.—The Giornale D'Italia declares that Hamburg is in a serious situation on account of lack of food and supplies of all kinds. A traveler brought the information, and says that while he was in Hamburg eggs were selling at 10 marks ($2.50) a dozen, while fresh meat was priceless, all cattle having been requisitioned. The smallest quantity of fresh milk, butter and eggs is reserved for the hospitals, the remainder, together with all other available food, is taken to the army storehouse where it is accumulated by the general staff for the use of the army.

Traffic has practically ceased in Hamburg, it is asserted, and 1,600 ships are idle.

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Sundays and Holidays.

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Leave Alexandria For Mount Vernon.

A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 46, 7 56, 8 56, 10 30 11 30, —P M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 40, 5 35, 6 30, 7 35, 8 50, 9 50, 10 50, 11 50.

Sundays—A. M. 7 00, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30, 12 30,P. M.—1 30 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 46, 10 16.

In the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia. Enoch L. White, who sues, etc., Complainant,
VS.
New Washington Brick Company, a Corporation, et als., Defendants.
IN CHANCERY.

To Enoch L. White, New Washington Brick Company, a corporation, American Security & Trust Company, of the District of Columbia, a corporation, Trustee; Gardner L. Boothe and James R. Caton, Jr., Receivers of the New Washington Brick Company, a corporation, and to all the creditors and bondholders of the said New Washington Brick Company;

Take notice that I have fixed upon Wednesday, the twenty-third day of September, 1914, at 128 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 10 o'clock A. M., as the time and place when I will proceed to execute the terms of a decree rendered by the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 31st day of July, 1914, in a certain Chancery suit therein depending wherein Enoch L. White who sues, etc., is the complainant, and the New Washington Brick Company ,a corporation, et als., are the defendants, by the terms of which decree I am directed to inquire, ascertain and report to the said Court upon the matters following, to-wit:

First: All liens by deed of trust, mortgage, judgment or otherwise upon the property, real ,personal and mixed of the defendant, the New Washington Brick Company, with their amounts and respective priorities.

Second: The number of bonds issued by the defendant, the New Washington Brick Company, secured by the deed of trust or mortgage dated May 10th, 1900, exhibited with the bill of complaint in this cause, and the number and amount of the said bonds negotiated or sold by the said defendant company, and by whom the same are now owned and held respectively, and the amount of the interest matured and past due upon the said bonds respectively, and the present owners and holders of the said coupons representing the accrued and past due interest upon the said bonds respectively.

Third: All creditors of the said defendant, the New Washington Brick Company, and the amount of their claims respectively, whether secured or unsecured, and the order of their priority.

Fourth: All the estate, real, personal and mixed of the said defendant, the New Washington Brick Company, a description thereof, its location, whether in the State of Virginia or elsewhere, and all notes, bills, acceptances, choses in action, accounts receivable of the said defendant, and in whose possession the same are held, and by whom the same is owing to the said defendant, including all property, real, personal or mixed acquired by the said defendant subsequent to the execution and recordation of the said deed of trust or mortgage, and where situated and in whose possession held.

Fifth: All property, real, personal or mixed of the said defendant, the New Washington Brick Comany, that has been disposed of, and all properties, real, personal or mixed which have been acquired since the execution and delivery of the said deed of trust in substitution of properties disposed of by the said company, subject to the lien and operation of the said trust ,and all property, real, personal or mixed that has been acquired by the said defendant, the New Washington Brick Company since the execution and delivery of the said deed of trust ,and what portion thereof is subject to the lien of the said deed of trust under and by virtue of its provisions as to after acquired property.

Sixth: Any other matter or thing which the said Special Commission may deem pertinent, or which any party to this cause may require the said Commissioner to report.

Given under my hand this 21st day of August, 1914.

H. NOEL GARNER,
Special Commissioner.

IN THE CORPORTION COURT OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA VIRGINIA

On the 31 day of August 1914.

In re
Probate of the Last Will and Testament of
William K Davidson deceased

It appearing to the Court that William K. Davidson died on the 17th day of August 1914 leaving estate in the City of Alexandria Virginia; that a paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of the said William K. Davidson deceased has been offered for probate and that the motion for the probate of said will, will be heard on the 5th day of October, 1914.

It further appearing to the Court by an affidavit filed in the above entitled matter that Edith V. Bradt, Florence B. Swain Jane Brant Amelia H. Bradt C. Howard Bradt Jr. an infant under the age of twenty one years, to wit: of the age of fourteen years Frank Bradt and Florence Gibson and the unknown heirs of Welborn Walton Davidson, deceased heirs at-law of the said William K. Davidson deceased are non residents of this State: IT IS ORDERED, that the above named heir-at-law of the said William K. Davidson, deceased appear before the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia on t the 5thi day of October, 1914 at 10 o'clock a. m. to show cause, if any they can why the said will should not be admitted to record and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the of the Court House of this City.

A COPY, TESTE:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY.
Louis N. Duffey, P. Q.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 7th day of August, 1914, Kate Redmond and Louis Redmond, her husband, Complainants,

Vs.

Mary Cassidy and James Cassidy, her husband; Mary Pewters, John Pewters, her husband; Kate Pewters, widow, and William O'Connor, bachelor, Defendants.

IN CHANCERY.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain partition of the real estate in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, of which Ellen Buttimore died seized, by partition in kind, if possible, but if not, then by a sale thereof and distribution of proceeds among parties entitled under her will, said real estate being premises No. 1016 Duke street, Alexandria, Virginia.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Mary Cassidy and James Cassidy, her husband; Mary Pewters,John Pewters, her husband; Kate Pewters, widow, and William O'Conner, are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered,That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk.
ROBINSON MONCURE, p. q.

At a Corporation Court of the City at the Courthouse of said City on Thursday, August 20th, 1914.

Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley, of Alexandria, continued and held Judge.

Sellastien (Celestine) Newton Folk, Complainant,
VS.
Alexander Folk Defendant.
In CHANCERY.

An affidavit having been made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick and application having been duly made in open court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruelty and desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and an order of publication having been duly granted in open court, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication thereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruelty and desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and to do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit,and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to-wit: New York City, New York, as stated in the application for this order of publication, which shall be certified by the clerk of this court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

A copy—Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk.
ROBINSON MONCURE, P. Q.

SAMUEL P. FISHER Auctioneer.

Sale of two valuable tracts of land, partly in the City of Alexandria and partly in the County of Alexandria, Va., containing about 7 acres of land with 1,124.49 feet water front on the Potomac River, average low tide line and supposed [illegible] valuable brick clay.

By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered May 11th, 1914, in the chancery cause of [illegible] Morrison, et als., vs. [illegible] Court et als., the undersigned Commissioners of Sale will [illegible] at public auction at 12 [illegible] on Saturday, September 19th, 1914, in front of the Royal Street entrance to the market building, Alexandria, Virginia, the following two tracts of land situate partly in the City of Alexandria and partly in the County of Alexandria, Virginia, to-wit:

Tract No. 1, being tract No. 2 upon the plat and survey hereinafter referred to, contains 3.5373 acres of land and is between the right of way of the W. O. & W. branch of the Southern Railway and the Potomac River, with a frontage on the Potomac River of 1,124.49 feet, beginning at a point a short distance north of First street and running north.

Tract No. 2, being tract No. 3 upon the plat and survey hereinafter referred to, contains 3.2939 acres of land and is between the right of way of the W. O. & W. branch of the Southern Railway and Fairfax street, and north of a line running south 88 degrees 39 minutes east from a point in east line of Fairfax street, a short distance south of First street, and has a frontage of 869.89 feet on Fairfax street.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase money in cash and the balance in two equal instalments at six and twelve months from the date of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. The deferred instalments to bear interest at the legal rate and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers thereof, and the retention of the title until the payment of the purchase money in full. Conveyance at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers. The said tracts will be sold as a whole or in separate parcels as to the undersigned commissioners may seem best for the interest of the parties.

A survey and plat of the said tracts of land made in June, 191[illegible] can be seen at the office of the Auctioneer or at the office of the undersigned.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
SAMUEL P. FISHER,
Commissioners of Sale.

This is to certify that Samuel P. Fisher, one of the Commissioners of Sale, has given bond as required by the decree in this cause.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,

At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Courthouse of said City on Thursday, August 20th, 1914.

Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

Minnie C. Grubb Dodd, Complainant,
VS.
Ernest L. Dodd, Defendant.
In CHANCERY.

An affidavit havng been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick and application having been duly made in open court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and an order of publication having been duly granted in open court, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication thereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and to do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and it is furthed ordered that a copy of ths order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to-wit: Boston, Maassachusetts, at 65 West Newton street, as stated in the application for this order of publication, which shall be certified by the clerk of this court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

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BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF RETREAT.

French Military Airmen Gives Vivid Description of German Flight

Paris, Sept. 15—The best view of the retreating German armies has been obtained by a French military airman. Ascending from a point near Vitry, he flew northward across the Marne, and then eastward by way of Rheims, down the regions of Verdun and back again in a zigzag course to a spot near Soissons.

He saw the German hosts not merely in retreat, but in flight, and in some places in disorderly flight. It was a wonderful sight, he said to look down upon those tens and hundreds of thousands in moving military columns—the long gray columns of the Kaiser's picked troops, some marching in northerly and others in a northeasterly direction, and all moving with a tremendous rapidity which was eloquent of their desire to place themselves beyond the reach of the Allied armies, who were harassing them every step of the way.

The retreat was not confined to the highways, but many German soldiers were running across the fields, jumping over fences, crawling through hedges and wending their way through the woods without any semblance of order or discipline.

These men doubtless belonged to regiments which were badly cut up in the fierce fighting which preceded the general retreat. Deprived of the majority of their officers and non-commissioned officers they were a mere rabble of fugitives, many of them without rifles having abandoned their weapons in their mad-haste to escape the vengeance of their French and British pursuers.

The vast quantities of military stores and ammunition which have fallen into the hands of the Allies show clearly how disorderly their flight became in the last day or two and the loss of upward of 200 guns alone was a severe blow to Prussian self-esteem. The advancing allied armies found large areas of ground littered with rifles, ammunition belts, knapsacks, drinking flask ammunition wagons, boxes of flour etc. Some of the Germans had thrown off their coats, as well as other portions of their equipment, in their desire to lighten themselves and thus facilitate their escape.

Many Germans captured state they had been without food for periods varying from 24 to 48 hours, and some were so weak they could hardly stand. Dozens and scores of German soldiers were found dying on the ground in a condition of complete exhaustion.

Most of their horses were mere skeletons. Fifty Uhlans, under command of a noncommissioned officer gave thmeselves up to the French at Montereau, saying: "Do what you like with up. "They were dying from hunger and fatigue and had to be sent to the rear in ambulances.

Apart from the heavy losses which the Germans sustained during the fighting they have been severely punished by pursuers during their harried retreat.

The British and French artillery decimated columns of the retiring enemy. Judging from the unofficial accounts, which now begin to come in of the battle, there is every reason to believe the French official communications have understated the extent of the victory.

CHILD KILLED BY WAGON.

Dies With Stick of Candy in Hand After Wheels Crush Her.

Philadelphia, Sept. 15.—Crushed by the wheels of a heavy wagon, while playing in the roadway at Belgrade and Oxford streets yesterday afternoon, 5-year-old Mary Fisher, of No. 309 Belgrade street, was injured so badly that she died last night in St. Marys Hospital. When she was carried into the hospital she still held in her hand a stick of candy which she had bought a short time before the accident. She clung to the candy until her death.

With several companions, she was playing in the street, when a heavy sand wagon approached. The girl became bewildered, and, as she attempted to flee, she was caught by one of the large wheels, which passed over both legs. The right leg was terribly crushed and bones in the left were broken. Physicians at the hospital planned to amputate the crushed limb in the hope of saving the childs life, but loss of blood and the shock proved fatal.

Thomas Johnson, a negro, driver of the sand wagon, was arrested by the police of the Eleventh district. He will be held to await the result of the coroners inquest.

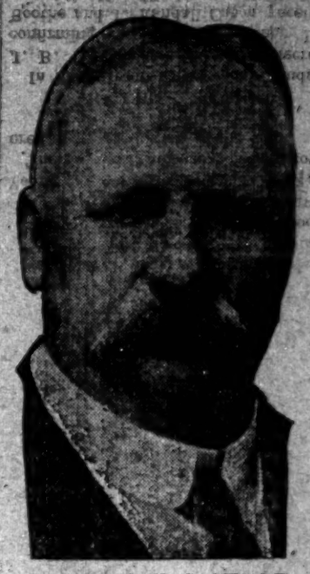
Norfolk Fried Oysters at the Hotel Rammel.

GOVERNOR STUART FOR LOCAL OPTION

Says He Will Vote Against State-Wide Prohibition On September 22d.

STATE'S LEADERS WILL FOLLOW SUIT

Thinking Men of Virginia Unanimously Outspoken Against Invasion of Local Rights Threatened by Enactment of State-Wide Prohibition.



GOVERNOR H. C. STUART.

Governor Henry C. Stuart, Virginia's foremost citizen, announced last week that on the election September 22d he will vote AGAINST State-wide prohibition. With characteristic frankness the Governor has made no secret of his views, and has told friends and acquaintances freely that he would oppose the State-wide law.

The Lynchburg Advance, one of the so-called "dry" newspapers of the State, on September 3d, telegraphed Alexander Forward, the Governor's secretary, as follows:

"Will Governor Stuart vote 'wet' in the coming election?"

Mr. Forward sent this telegram in reply:

"Replying to your telegram addressed to me, in which you ask, 'will Governor Stuart vote "wet" in the coming election,' I will say that Governor Stuart has refused to give any newspaper interviews with respect to his attitude on this question, and does not wish to enter into any discussion in the newspapers or elsewhere of the merits of the issue. I feel sure, however, that Governor Stuart does not object to answering any proper inquiry on this subject from the fact that he has not hesitated at any time since the liquor question has been under discussion to state to those persons who felt an interest in his opinion that it was his purpose to vote against prohibition."

ATTITUDE WELL KNOWN.

The attitude of the Governor toward State-wide prohibition has been known to hundreds, probably thousands, of people for a long time, for the simple reason that he has expressed his personal preference for local option to every one who approached him on the subject.

The attitude of the Governor is significant. He rightly refrains from a discussion of the merits of the campaign issue, believing that the Governor of the State should hold himself aloof from controversy. To every letter of inquiry concerning his attitude to the issue, nevertheless, the Governor has invariably replied that he proposed to vote against State-wide prohibition.

In registering his opposition to the enactment of a State-wide law, Governor Stuart takes his stand with an overwhelming majority of the State's leaders in business and professional life who have openly declared their loyalty to the present local option law and the principle of local self-government, upon which it is based.

It is significant that the Virginians who stand highest in the State's professional and intellectual life are almost without exception opposed to State-wide prohibition. This is true, not only in Richmond and Norfolk, where the most representative citizens enrolled under the local option banner, but also in the State at large

THINKING MEN OPPOSE LAW.

Among the well-known Virginians who have publicly announced their hostility to State-wide prohibition are:

GOVERNOR HENRY CARTER STUART.
HARRY ST. GEORGE TUCKER, LEXINGTON.
MAJOR WILLIAM A. ANDERSON, LEXINGTON.
DR. GEORGE BEN JOHNSTON, RICHMOND.
COLONEL WALTER H. TAYLOR, NORFOLK.
FERGUS REID, NORFOLK.
EPPA HUNTON, JR., RICHMOND.
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JOHN M. LAKE, FRONT ROYAL.
GEORGE A. HARRISON, WAVERLY.
C. V. MEREDITH, RICHMOND.
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LIEUT. EARLY DROWNED.

Loses Life in Attempt to Save Companion in Mexican Lake.

Lynchburg, Va., Sept. 15.—Lieut. Jubal A. Early, of this city, Troop K, Twelfth cavalry, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Wingate, in charge of interned Mexican refugees from the battle of Ojinaga, and John M. Young, an attorney of Gallup, N. Mex., were drowned Sunday afternoon in Lake Mariano, 40 miles northwest of Gallup, near the New Mexico-Arizona line.

The two men, with a party of officers from Fort Wingate and citizens of Gallup, were shooting ducks on the lake. Early and Young went out in a small rowboat equipped with a gasoline propeller. Young, while in a standing position in the boat, shot at a flock of ducks, and the recoil of his gun caused him to lose his balance, capsizing the boat. Young could not swim. Early was a good swimmer, and in the effort to save Young's life both met drowned.

Their bodies have not been recovered.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

In the Circuit Court today Judge J. B. T. Thornton entered a decree confirming the report of Gardner L. Boothe and J. Randall Caton, receivers of the New Washington Brick Co. In the same court a suit for divorce was filed by Mary B. Jackson against her husband, Frank R. Jackson. The plaintiffs are represented by Attorney Gardner L. Boothe.

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THE NEWSPAPER PUBLICITY LAW

Its Application to Other Organizations Needed.

The Newspaper Publicity Law, enacted by Congress some time ago, ought to be applied to many other business organizations. This law provides that all publications must file an affidavit with the Postmaster General setting forth full information concerning their ownership, management, circulation, etc. A copy of this affidavit must be printed in certain designated issues of the paper, and a marked copy thereof filed with the Postmaster General. Failure to do this will authorize the Postmaster General to deny the use of the mails to the offending publication.

This law has eliminated many newspaper evils, such as the paid editorial, the overstatement of circulation, and hidden ownership. All this has been attained by the simple remedy of publicity!

A similar law applied to other organizations would work equally well and would eradicate many evils, much corruption and mismanagement. For instance, if labor organizations were required to publish full information as to their objects and their transactions, and to make public an account of their moneys, dues, etc., many abuses that now exist would be removed. Labor organizations should not curry favor from legislatures and Congress any more than business organizations, and they have no right to special exemption from anti-trust legislation. A labor union is a form of labor trust.

Labor unions organized for honest and lawful purposes are necessary and desirable to hold in check encroachments of unjust employers, but when they invoke the aid of Congress for special exemptions they are merely copying unjust methods of other monopolies.

Business should be required to give full publicity as to prices, volume of business, methods of operation, etc., so as to give each competitor the right conclusions concerning their particular field of industry.

We need publicity of all business organizations to cure the evils of mismanagement, and we need it for labor unions, as well, to bring a stop to their frequent abuse and their underhand methods of attaining unlawful objects. A law which could produce such results would bring capital and labor into the open field and their differences would be less and they could be settled more amicably than they are now.

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PROPOSALS.

Alexandria Va., Aug. 31 1914

Proposals will be received by the Committee on Public Property and the Committee on Schools of the Alexandria City Council until 7:30 o'clock p. m. Friday, October 9th, 1914 at the office of the City Engineer and then opened, 1st. for the erection of a High School Building on the lot North of Cameron St., near Payton St., extended, 2nd for the plumbing of the said building, and 3rd for the heating and ventilating of the said building.

The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals.

Certified checks, payable to Thos. W. Robinson, City Treasurer must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the proposer who may be awarded the contract will furnish bond and enter contract with the City Council for the erection of the building. The check to be forfeited to the City Council in case the bidder to whom contract may be awarded fails to furnish bond acceptable to the Finance Committee and enter into contract within ten days after award of contract.

The Certified check must be as follows—$400.00 with proposal for construction of the building $200 with proposal for the heating and ventilating and $100.00 with proposal for the plumbing.—

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By Order of the President.
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